IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of Group Art Unit: 3768

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For: METHOD FOR FLUORESCENCE LIFETIME IMAGING MICROSCOPY AND

SPECTROSCOPY

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents VIA E-FILE

Dear Sir:

In response to an Office Action dated September 11, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 10 of this paper and include attached replacement sheets.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.